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Application Type	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES		Fees Paid (\$)
	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	

**2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES****Fee Description**

- Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)  
 Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)  
 Multiple dependent claims

Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)
- 20 or HP =	x	=	
HP = highest number of total claims paid for, if greater than 20.			
Indep. Claims	Extra Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)
- 3 or HP =	x	=	
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Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)
50	25
200	100
360	180

**Multiple Dependent Claims**

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**Serial No.:** 10/616,731

**Art Unit:** 1775

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**Examiner:** Lam, Cathy

**For:** SILICA-BASED ORGANIC FILM AND METHOD OF  
MANUFACTURING THE SAME, AND BASE  
MATERIAL COMPRISING ORGANIC FILM

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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

This Amendment and accompanying Remarks are filed under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 in response to the Office Action mailed by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on August 31, 2004. It is believed that this Amendment is timely filed on or before January 3, 2005 with a one (1) month extension of time. Notwithstanding, should this Paper not be considered timely filed, Applicants hereby requests a retroactive extension of time to file for the number of months required to maintain pendency of the Application.

Please amend the application as follows: